

National Middle School Science Bowl Schedule of Events

**Thursday, June 19, 2008
Arrival and Orientation**

**DRESS: Casual Attire – for arrival
School T-Shirts if Available for group photo**

Location: *Colorado School of Mines
1600 Maple Street
Golden, Colorado*

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| 11:00-5:00 p.m. | Students, Coaches and Coordinators Registration – <i>Vanderwerker Lounge</i> |
| 5:30 p.m. | Dinner – <i>Student Center, Slate Café</i> |
| 7:00 p.m. | Welcome Assembly and Expectations— <i>Student Center, Ballrooms A, B, C</i> |
| 7:45 p.m. | Group Team and Coordinator Photos- |
| 8:00 p.m. | Ice Cream Social |
| 9:15 p.m. | Students in dorm rooms |
| 9:30 p.m. | Coordinator Meeting – <i>Vanderwerker Lounge</i> |
| 9:45 p.m. | Lights Out – all participants must be in their rooms (students, coaches and coordinators) |

Friday, June 20, 2008
Hydrogen Fuel Cell Activities

DRESS: Casual Attire – National T-Shirts

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| 7:00 – 8:00 a.m. | Breakfast: <i>Slate Café</i> |
| 7:30 a.m. | Teams begin fine tuning model fuel cell cars <i>Lockridge Arena</i> |
| 9:15 am. | Begin running time trial heats – <i>Lockridge Arena</i> |
| 9:15-noon | Teacher Workshop |
| 11:15 a.m. | Teams leave cars in Lockridge for Design Judging Groups A/B – Lunch (<i>Slate Café</i>) Groups C/D Knowledge Presentations – <i>Student Center, Ballrooms D & E</i> |
| 12:30 p.m. | Groups C/D – Lunch (<i>Slate Café</i>) Groups A/B – Knowledge Presentations <i>Student Center, Ballrooms D & E</i> |
| 2:00 p.m. | Final Knowledge Presentations – <i>Student Center, Ballrooms A, B, & C</i> |
| 3:40 p.m. | Announce Top 16 Racing Teams – <i>Student Center, Ballrooms D & E</i> |
| 3:45 p.m. | Break |
| 4:15 p.m. | Inspections – <i>Lockridge Arena</i> |
| 4:30 p.m. | Let the Races Begin! -- <i>Lockridge Arena</i> |
| 5:45 p.m. | Dinner |
| 7:00 p.m. | Academic Rules Review <i>Student Center, Ballrooms D & E</i> |
| 8:00 p.m. | Snack |
| 9:15 p.m. | Students in dorm rooms |
| 9:45 p.m. | Lights out |

Saturday, June 21, 2008
Academic Competition

Dress: Casual Attire (Regional T-Shirt)

7:00-8:00 a.m. Breakfast – *Slate Café*

7:00-9:00 a.m. Moderators & Judges: Rules/Question Review
Student Center, Ballroom E

Round Robin Matches

9:00-9:30 a.m. Round Robin #1

9:30-10:00 a.m. Round Robin #2

10:00-10:15 a.m. Break

10:15-10:45 a.m. Round Robin #3

10:45-11:15 a.m. Round Robin #4

11:15-11:45 a.m. Round Robin #5A

12:00-1:00 p.m. Lunch, *Slate Café*

12:45-1:15 p.m. Round Robin #5B

1:15-1:45 p.m. Round Robin #6

1:45-2:15 p.m. Round Robin #7

2:15 p.m. Break

2:30 p.m. Tie Breaks (5 competition rooms)

3:00 p.m. Double Elimination #1

3:30 p.m. Double Elimination #2

4:00 p.m. Double Elimination #3

4:30 p.m. Double Elimination #4

5:00 p.m. Dinner begins – *Slate Café*

6:30 p.m. Double Elimination #5

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| 6:45 – 9:00 p.m. | Recreation Activities – <i>Student Recreation Center</i> |
| 7:00 p.m. | Double Elimination #6 |
| 9:00 p.m. | Snack – <i>Vanderwerker Lounge</i> |
| 9:15 p.m. | In rooms |
| 9:30 p.m. | Lights out |

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Sunday, June 22, 2008
Finals and Awards Ceremony

Dress: **Business Attire – no jeans, collared shirt with ties for young men; nice pants or dresses for young women; no midriff tops or flip flops.**

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| 7:00-8:00 | Teams Check out |
| 7:00-8:30 | Breakfast – <i>Slate Café</i> |
| 8:45a.m. | Double Elimination #7, <i>Friedhof Center</i> |
| 9:15 a.m. | Double Elimination #8 |
| 9:45 a.m. | Double Elimination #9 (if necessary) |
| 10:15 a.m. | Break |
| 10:30 a.m. | Awards Ceremony and Evaluations |
| 11:45 a.m. | Teams Depart |